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IMAGE DISPLAY METHOD

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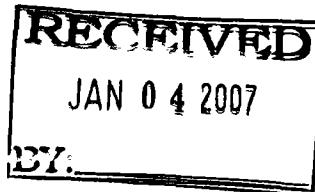


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**Foreign Applications**

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The country code and number of your priority application, to be used for filing abroad under the Paris Convention, is **US10/576,232**

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**Title**

Image output apparatus, image output method, and image display method

**Preliminary Class**

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METHOD

and identified by the Assignee as 8876 and ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER URBA:004, for which the undersigned has (have) executed and filed an application for patent in the United States of America on the date \_\_\_\_\_, and now designated as U.S. Patent Application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_.

The undersigned hereby agree(s) to: (1) execute all papers necessary in connection with the application and any continuing or divisional applications thereof and also to execute separate assignments in connection with such applications as the Assignee may deem necessary or expedient; (2) execute all papers necessary in connection with any interference which may be declared concerning this application or continuation or division thereof and to cooperate with the Assignee in every way possible in obtaining evidence and going forward with such interference; (3) execute all papers and documents and perform any act which may be necessary in connection with claims or provisions of the International Convention of Protection of Industrial Property or similar agreements; and (4) to perform all affirmative acts which may be necessary to obtain a grant of a valid United States patent to the Assignee.

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